GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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DISHA AIRPORT IN GUJARAT
HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to utilise Disha Airport in Gujarat for commercial purpose;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the total value of assets in this Airport and the annual amount being spent for its maintenance?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a), (b), (c)& (d):- No airline has evinced interest in operating their commercial flights to/ from Disha airport in Gujarat. Airports Authority of India has, therefore, no plan to use this airport for commercial purposes. The total value of assets in this airport is Rs.37.15 lacs. No amount is being spent for its maintenance.